

**Special Citizen's Committees appointed directly by the
Mayor and County Commission Chair**

- 1) Performing Arts Center Task Force
- 2) Cultural Support Space Task Force
- 3) Cultural Plan Audit Committee

The Performing Arts Venue Task Force will analyze research on types of venues, venues in comparable locations, potential use of a new space by existing local organizations, operating plans for the venue, cost analysis of building the venue, etc. This committee will work with the Ways and Means committee in order to utilize their data in proposing a funding plan that will incorporate public and private sources of funding for both the capital and operating costs. A timeline, funding, and implementation plan will result from this work in addition to recommendations for the physical plant. A professional theatre consultant will be engaged to work with this committee on the details related to the physical space and provide input into developing the operating plans. Funding will be sought for that outside assistance from other sources.

The Cultural Support Space Task Force will begin work by analyzing similar existing spaces in comparable locations and the needs identified in the facilities inventory work accomplished during the cultural planning process. Available existing spaces in Leon County will be explored and compared to the cost of building a new space. Operating plans of similar facilities will be studied and use of space options will be considered. This committee will work with the Ways and Means committee in order to utilize their data in proposing a funding plan that will incorporate public and private sources of funding for both the capital and operating costs. A timeline, funding and implementation plan will be included along with the recommendation for the physical plant.

The Cultural Plan Audit Committee will represent the Capital Area community's interest to oversee the first three years implementation of the cultural plan. The audit committee will gather and monitor benchmark data including, but not limited to, attendance at various cultural and arts programs in order to provide information as to the progress we are achieving as a community in growing and cultivating the arts. The audit committee should meet at six- and twelve-month intervals for three years after the plan is approved to monitor progress and recommend adjustments to the plan and its implementation as required.

Performing Arts Center Committee (appointed by Mayor and County Commission Chair): "The committee should include professionals in the field of theater design, management and production, as well as architects, patrons of the arts, and business leaders." (*Cultural Plan 4.4.2*)

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Cultural Plan Audit Committee (appointed by Mayor and County Commission Chair): "...should seek civic leaders, higher education representatives, racial and cultural diversity, arts, heritage and cultural leaders, business, government, K-12 education, philanthropists and cultural workers." (*Cultural Plan 6.1.1*)

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Sample form used to solicit suggestions from the public